



## TOWN OF ROCKLAND

### Board of Selectmen

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## OPEN SESSION MINUTES of JUNE 15, 2015

**SELECTMEN'S MEETING**  
**Monday, June 15, 2015 @ 7 p.m.**

**H. BERNARD MONAHAN MEMORIAL ROOM**  
**TOWN HALL, 242 UNION STREET**  
**ROCKLAND, MASSACHUSETTS**

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE MOS

**Note Larry Chaffee was not present for the entire meeting**

*Chairman Kimball read:*

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**OPEN FORUM- No Comments**

### MINUTES

#### **1. Open Session Minutes of 6.1.15**

**~MOTION to approve by Mr. Ryan, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr. Welch passed 4-0.**

## **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

### **2. Annual Appointments continued**

#### **Council on Aging - Alternate**

**Rita M. Howes – 390 North Avenue**

#### **Cultural Council**

**Sara Hologitas – 165 Salem Street**

#### **Memorial Committee**

**John Stacy – 45 Beal Street**

#### **Parking Clerk**

**June Pat Donnelly – 158 Nevens Circle**

#### **Taxation Aid Committee**

**Patricia Penney – 30 Centre Avenue**

**~MOTION to approve all applicants by Mr. Johnson, 2<sup>nd</sup> Mr. Welch passed 4-0.**

### **3. Firefighter's Contract MOA**

**TA Chiocca outlined the highlights of the recently approved MOA with the Firefighter's Union.**

### **4. E-cigarette sales**

**TA Chiocca discussed the questionnaire distributed by the Board of Health regarding electronic cigarettes and other tobacco products.**

### **5. Quarterly Ambulance Abatements**

**Fire Chief Duffey sent a request to abate ambulance receipts.**

**March, 2015 \$55,949.27  
April, 2015 \$85,638.27**

**May, 2015     \$93,988.24**

**Total             \$235,575.78**

**~MOTION to approve all applicants by Mr. Johnson, 2nd Mr. Welch passed 3-0-1(Ryan).**

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **6. Transfers**

Retirement	0191151515010	Medicare	0191651515030	\$ 11,500.00
Retirement	0191151515010	Veteran's benefits	0154357578000	\$ 10,000.00
Retirement	0191151515010	BOS Building Demo	New	\$ 22,000.00

**~3 MOTIONS to approve by Mr. Ryan, 2nd by Mr. Welch each passed 4-0.**

### **7. One Day Liquor License request VFW**

**VFW Post #1788 requested approval for a temporary liquor license on July 10-12, 2015 for a "pig roast".**

**~MOTION to approve by Mr. Ryan, 2nd by Mr. Welch passed 4-0.**

### **8. Asian Teriyaki Inc. -Common Vic application**

**~MOTION to approve by Mr. Ryan, 2nd by Mr. Welch passed 4-0.**

### **9. Youth Service Director Vacancy**

**The Rockland Youth Commission recommended appointment of Jeanne Blaney as the new Youth Commission Director to replace retiring Director Karen Guerrette.**

**~MOTION to approve appointment by Mr. Ryan, 2nd by Mr. Welch passed 4-0.**

## **10. TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT & CORRESPONDENCE**

- TA Chiocca discussed the ongoing Hydrant Program.**
- Announced the Rockland Education Foundation Golf Tournament.**
- Informed the public of the new BOS Meeting Schedule.**

## **SELECTMAN'S COMMENTS**

**Chairman Kimball read:**

*Comments and opinions expressed by individual members do not necessarily reflect the views of all of the BOS and are the opinions and comments of only the individual member.*

**Mr. Welch    -No Comments**

**Mr. Johnson** -Reminder of last day of School June 22.  
-Thanked chaperones and staff on the 8<sup>th</sup> grade trip to Philadelphia.  
-Reminded viewers of the annual Dogs Dash.  
-Announced free concert at the Library.  
-Asked about the Fire horn and why it is still in use.

**Mr. Ryan**    -Discussed the Capital Planning Committee.  
-Congratulated Karen Guerrette upon her retirement.  
-Senior Center encourages new guests to visit.  
-Announced Rockland Eagles hosted the Eagles State Convention.  
-Spoke regarding the successful annual "Fishing Derby".  
-Discussed the fundraising for the new Veterans Memorial.

**Mr. Kimball** -Senior Center 1 year anniversary party was a success.  
-Congratulated Karen Guerrette upon her upcoming retirement.  
-He recently toured Southfield and will have Kyle Corkum in soon for an update.  
-School is out soon please be careful.

### **30. EXECUTIVE SESSION –No Exec**

~MOTION to adjourn by Mr. Ryan, 2nd by Mr. Welch passed 4-0.

**Meeting ended at 7:35 P.M.**



**Allan R. Chiocca**  
Town Administrator



**Larry J. Ryan, Vice Chairman**  
for the Rockland Board of Selectmen

The listings of matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.

**Next Scheduled Meeting Tuesday July 14, 2015**